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In re application of:

MOHANTY et al.

Application No: 10/645,729

Filed: August 20, 2003

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
ACCELERATING TEST CASE DEVELOPMENT

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After <u>Amendment</u>		Highest Previously <u>Paid For Extra</u>	Present	SMALL ENTITY <u>RATE FEE</u>	OR	LARGE <u>RATE FEE</u>	ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>20</u> -		<u>20</u>	_____	X25 = \$	OR	X50 = \$	
INDEP CLAIMS	<u>03</u> -		<u>03</u>	_____	X100 = \$	OR	X200 = \$	
[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$180		X360	\$
TOTAL					\$_____		\$_____	

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Applicant(s) hereby petition for a ---month(s) extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.  
Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. ADAPP244).

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If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. ADAPP244). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of October 20, 2006, please enter this Amendment and remarks for the above referenced patent application. The deadline for response to the Office Action extends up to January 22, 2007 (January 20 being a Saturday).

**Amendments to the Drawings** are reflected beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.